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TO: SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509)

FROM: SAC, JACKSON (157-9586) (P)

MURKIN
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Re Houston airtel to Bureau, 5/3/68, concerning long distance telephone calls from public telephone on Interstate 10.

Enclosed for each office designated are two copies of a report insert concerning information furnished by [redacted] telephone number [redacted] who resides at [redacted] Jackson, Miss.

It is noted that [redacted] states JIMMY (LNU) does not resemble photos of subject RAY, however, he alleges that this individual along with SYLVIA SNOWDEN and her sister GLENDA WILKINSON stayed at his residence in Jackson, Miss., either they day of or immediately after the slaying of KING and that they had just arrived in Jackson from Memphis, Tennessee. He described JIMMY (LNU) as a white male, 5'9" to 5'10", 160 to 170 pounds, approximately 24 years of age, brown hair, medium build, with eyes close together-oddness about the eyes, and a very neat dresser.

LEADS

HOUSTON

2 - Houston (Encs. 2) (RM)
2 - New Orleans (157-10673) (Encs. 2) (RM)
2 - Memphis (44-1987) (Encs. 2) (RM)
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AT HOUSTON, TEXAS

Will locate and interview SYLVIA SNOWDEN, telephone 453-2874. SNOWDEN should be questioned concerning her arrival and departure in Memphis in April, 1968, her daily activities while in Memphis, and complete background information developed particularly her association and travel with JIMMY (LNU). It should be noted that SNOWDEN allegedly resides with this individual.

NEW ORLEANS

AT LAROSE, LOUISIANA

Will attempt to locate GLENDA WILKINSON or GELENDA WILKINSON, sister of SYLVIA SNOWDEN. She allegedly works as a barmaid in Larose. The same information as set forth in Houston lead should be obtained from WILKINSON.

JACKSON

AT JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

Will maintain contact with [redacted] and attempt to further develop this individual in matters of interest to the Bureau.

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